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This is in response to the Office Action mailed on May 20, 2003. Please consider and enter the following remarks. Claims 1-20 remain pending.

Remarks begin at page 2 of this paper.